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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7963

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FOR COMMERCE/BEWT (PORTER)

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EE///, EFIN, UK

SUBJECT: BARTER/SWITCH HOUSES IN EAST-WEST TRADE

REF: DEPT'S A-152; LONDON 1464

1. EMBASSY IS FORWARDING TO COMMERCE BY AIR POUCH LISTS OF LONDON-BASED FIRMS EXPERIENCED IN COMPENSATION TRADING. LISTS HAVE BEEN FURNISHED BY EASTERN EUROPEAN TRADE COUNCIL OF CONFEDERATION OF BRITISH INDUSTRY AND BY LONDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY. NEITHER THOSE ORGANIZATIONS NOR EMBASSY HAS DETAILED INFORMATION ON EXTENT OF LISTED FIRMS' ACTIVITIES IN EAST-WEST TRADE, BUT PREVIOUSLY UNAVAILABLE DATA BEING PROVIDED SHOULD PROVE USEFUL FOR PURPOSES OF FORTHCOMING HANDBOOK.

2. FOR BACKGROUND ON ROLE OF //K. INSTITUTIONS IN EAST-WEST TRADE SEE LONDON A-640, AUG. 1, 1974.  
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